fellowship grants provided to various universities in Maharashtra during last 3 years is attached.

Statement

Release of Fellowship Grant to Universities in Maharashtra

University	1989-90	1990-91	1991-92
1. Amaravati	—	—	88,800
2. Bombay	52,34,303	88,37,357	24,23,052
3. Marathwada	45,727	—	4,32,100
4. Nagpur	8,67,284	3,87,942	13,36,265
5. Poona	14,68,197	11,05,611	36,536
6. Shivaji	4,05,311	—	—
7. SNDT Women's	2,42,817	3,50,000	3,64,520

The following universities in Maharashtra are not provided any grant towards payment of research fellowhsip, as no research fellows are working in these:

8. North Maharashtra.
9. Konkan Krishi University

10. Mahatma Phule Krishi
11. Marathwada Krishi Vidyapeeth
12. Panjab Rao Krishi Vishwavidyalaya
13. Yashwant Rao Chavan Open University.

Quality of Education in Kendriya Vidyalaya

2902. SHRI SURESH PACHOURI: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of Kendriya Vidyalayas in the country at present;

(b) what is the student-teacher ratio in Kendriya Vidyalaya in the country;

(c) what has been the pass percentage of Kendriya Vidyalayas this year as compared to the year 1990-91; and

(d) what steps are being taken to improve the quality of education in Kendriya Vidyalayas?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND DEPARTMENT OF CULTURE) (KUMARI SELJA) : (a) There are 768 Kendriya Vidyalayas in the Country at present.

(b) The student-teacher ratio in Kendriya Vidyalayas is 20:1 (approx).

(c) The pass percentage of Kendriya Vidyalayas for the years 1990-91 and 1992 is as under:

Year	Pass percentage in Kendriya Vidyalayas Class	
	X	XII
1990	89.0	85.0
1991	86.5	81.8
1992	87.8	85.1

(d) Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan has informed that continuous efforts arc made to improve the quality of education in Kendriya Vidyalayas primarily, through Vidyalaya Subject Committee meetings, organising Special classes etc. at Vidyalayas level, conducting regular academic inspections of Vidyalayas and organising Orientation and Inservice Education Courses for teachers.

Judicial Enquiry into the Affairs of Education Department of N.D.M.C.

2903. SHRI PASUMPON THA, KIRUTTINAN: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the names which appeared in the "Hindustan Times" dated the 26th September, 1992 titled "Deep Rot in N.D.M.C. Schools";

(b) if so, the details in this regard;

(c) whether there has been a demand for Judicial enquiry into the entire affair of the N.D.M.C. education department; and

(d) if so, the action taken thereon?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND DEPARTMENT OF CULTURE) (KUMARI SELJA) : (a) to (d) Yes, Sir. The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.

Recommendations of Names of Principals for President's Award

2904. SHRI J.S. RAJU:
SHRI N.E. BALARAM:

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that names of some Principals of Kendriya Vidyalayas have been recommended for President's Award by the Assistant Commissioner for 1992 despite the fact that department enquiries are still pending against them;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether they have since received the said Award; and

(d) if so, the details in this regard and the reasons therefor?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND DEPARTMENT OF CULTURE) (KUMARI SELJA): (a) No, Sir.

(b) to (d) Do not arise.

Shortage of Teachers in Kendriya Vidyalayas in Project Sector

2905. SHRI DIGVIJAY SINGH: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that majority of Kendriya Vidyalaya in Project Sector are short of teachers; if so, the details thereof; and

(b) whether any special efforts have since been made by the Sangathan in this regard; if so, the details thereof?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND DEPARTMENT OF CULTURE) (KUMARI SELJA) : (a) The region-wise vacancy position of teaching posts in Kendriya Vidyalayas of Project Sector as on 1.8.1992 is given in the enclosed statement. *(see below)*

(b) The following are the additional measures taken or being taken by Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan for filling up the vacant posts;

— Special Advertisements for reserved vacancies.

— Preparation of panels on basis of interviews.

— Computerisation of applications.

— Expediting the process of recruitment/selection by Regional Selection Boards.

Statement

No. of Posts (Teaching) Vacant in Kendriya Vidyalayas in Project Sector as on 1.8.1992—Region-Wise

Name of the Region	No. of Posts
1. Ahmedabad	148
2. Bhopal	131
3. Jaipur	93
4. Madras	49
5. Hyderabad	220
6. Guwahati	64
7. Chandigarh	98
8. Calcutta	215
9. Patna	302
10. Bhubaneshwar	423
11. Jammu	36
12. Lucknow	114
13. Delhi	16
14. Bombay	19
15. Silchar	244
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